

ARMED PEACE.

Soldiers and Locked-Out Men Patrol the Sidewalks.

Since the Shooting of Prinz There Have Been Ominous Mutterings

Of What the Strikers Will Do if Prinz Should Die—Speculations as to What Action the Central Labor Union Will Take Wednesday Night.

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 4.—A ready-for-an-emergency feeling permeated the air in the vicinity of Brown hoist works Tuesday morning. There was peace but it was an armed peace, and both sides of the trouble knew that a small spark would change peace into war. At 7 o'clock, the time for the commencement of work, at the Brown works, 150 men had entered the various shops. They were all non-unionists and the union men claimed that no one of their number had deserted the cause. On every street within a radius of nearly a mile of the plant, both soldiers and locked out men patrolled the side walks. Many of the soldiers were doubly armed, wearing belts and revolvers as well as carrying guns. A number of the locked out men also carried guns.

It was given out by the physicians at St. Clair hospital Tuesday morning that Prinz, the man who was shot near the Brown works Saturday, was still in a critical condition, and that his chances of recovery were about one in a thousand.

Ever since the shooting of Prinz there have been ominous mutterings by the men as to what they will do should Prinz die. A second committee of locked out men has been at work for several days investigating the shooting and trying to fix the blame for it. The committee reported Tuesday that, to the best of its knowledge, a man named Harris, his first name unknown, living on the West Side fired the shot which pierced Prinz's body. He has been in the vicinity since and attempts to find him have been unavailing. It is the purpose of the men if they can prove the shooting against Harris, to have a warrant issued for his arrest on the charge of shooting with intent to kill, to be changed to a more serious charge in case Prinz dies.

There is much speculation among all of the parties interested in the lockout as to what action the Central Labor union will take at its meeting Wednesday night. The more radical members of the union are said to be in favor of the ordering of a sympathetic strike of all men employed in the iron industry.

It is estimated that there are fully

15,000 such men in Cleveland who belong to labor organizations represented in the Central body. By going out and thus crippling every branch of the iron industry, it is hoped that such pressure can be brought to bear on the Brown Co. that it will be willing to settle the present difficulty amicably. On the other hand the more conservative members of the body are opposed to a sympathetic strike. They say that it would not help the settlement of the Brown trouble and would place the Central Labor union in an unenviable position.

Among the rumors in connection with the sympathetic strike talk which were circulated among union men Monday, was one to the effect that the members of the Street Railway Employees' union were ready to quit work on a moment's notice when requested to do so by the Central Labor union. The Street Railway union is one of the strongest in the city, and includes nearly every street railway employee. If this rumor is correct the ordering of a general sympathetic strike might include the tying up of every street railway line in the city.

WIPED OUT.

The Town of Gladis, Mich., Destroyed by Forest Fires.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich., Aug. 4.—Much damage is being done by forest fires in this vicinity. Monday afternoon Gladis, a station eight miles from here on the South Shore road, was wiped out and its residents had to flee for their lives. Scores of farmers have lost their homes and have barely escaped with their lives.

The regular South Shore passenger train out was compelled to return owing to the intense heat and smoke. Several of the passengers fainted before the train got out of the fire belt. No rain has fallen for weeks and everything on the ground is dry as tinder. Unless it rains soon there will be a vast amount of timber destroyed and other damage done.

Freight Wreck and Powder Explosion. SHAMOKIN, Pa., Aug. 4.—A disastrous freight wreck and powder explosion occurred on the Philadelphia & Reading railroad at Weldy's siding, seven miles west of here at 7 o'clock Tuesday morning. Engineer Michael Smook and Conductor Alex Smith were killed and Fireman Dreishabak was seriously scalded.

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—For Ohio—Generally fair Wednesday with conditions favorable for local thunderstorms on the lakes; fresh to brisk southwesterly winds; probably cooler in northern portion by Wednesday.

For Kentucky—Generally fair, with increasing cloudiness Wednesday; continued warm southerly winds.

For West Virginia—Fair; increasing cloudiness Wednesday; continued warm, southerly winds.

For Indiana—Generally fair—Wednesday; with local thunderstorms in extreme north portions; southerly winds.

MOORE BROS.,

The Promoters of the Diamond Match Company,

And the New York Biscuit Company, Announce Their Failure.

The Speculative Value of the Collapse Will Be About \$20,000,000.—The Directors of the Chicago Stock Exchange Decide to Close Indefinitely.

CHICAGO, Aug. 4.—Moore Brothers, promoters of the Diamond Match Co., and the New York Biscuit Co., announced Monday night that they had failed.

A meeting of prominent financiers and Chicago bankers was held about midnight at the residence of one of them on the south side and it was agreed by them to close the Chicago stock exchange indefinitely Tuesday at 10 a. m. These gentlemen said it was the only course for them to pursue, and that as far as they were concerned their stock was margined to a figure which would protect them.

The stock exchange will be called to order at 10 a. m., when the failure of the Moore Bros. will be announced. The speculative value of the failure will be about twenty-millions of dollars.

It is thought by some that the adjournment of the stock exchange will last but a few days, and that matters within that time can be straightened out in a way that will make the losses as easy as possible to bear.

Diamond Match opened at 2:22 on the Chicago stock exchange Monday morning. There were heavy sales all day, and the loads that were sold were enormous. Notwithstanding this the stock did not break, going only to 2:21. There were slight rumors of the difficulties which surrounded the Moores, but no one suspected the crash.

New York Biscuit sold early at 92 1/2, going to 90 shortly after noon. There was a rally, however, and Biscuit closed at 92.

Those present at the meeting of directors of the stock exchange Monday night felt that should the exchange open as usual Tuesday morning the bears would make a slaughtering of values which would cost a good deal and in a large measure, unnecessary loss. They believed that the closing of the exchange and the prevention of the making of the speculative quotations of the securities would enable brokers having open trades to close them and the situation could be liquidated in a large measure without the sharp decline that would surely follow the trading in an open market. So far as the banks are concerned they are indifferent personally as to whether the exchange should be closed or not. The stocks held by them are margined to a point which leaves them secure in any event.

There were present at the meeting the members of the stock exchange, governing committee and a number of prominent capitalists. This meeting was assembled informally after the announcement which was made late in the afternoon by James H. Moore that margin calls no longer could be met. The announcement was made to a few of the men most heavily interested and it was thought best to call a meeting to discuss the situation. Those who assembled discussed the best means for restoring confidence after the shock which would be given to speculative circles by the announcement of the failure. It was the general opinion that it would be the wisest possible move to close the stock exchange for a period.

A Fatal Duel.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Aug. 4.—A special from Hartshorn, Fla., says: A shooting affray occurred here Monday morning between John Fields, white, and George Adams, colored. Adams fired the first shot. The ball passed through Fields' body. He fell, then scrambled to his knees and fired two barrels of buckshot into the Negro's body, killing him instantly. Fields is not expected to live.

Elected a Democratic Mayor.

BRUNSWICK, Md., Aug. 4.—The municipal election here Monday resulted in the election of a democratic mayor and two out of three democratic councilmen. Heretofore Brunswick has been considered a republican stronghold. The money question was the only issue of the campaign of the two parties.

Suicided on Lookout Mountain.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Aug. 4.—Horace G. Young committed suicide Monday afternoon on Lookout mountain by shooting himself through the heart. He was one of the most popular men in this community and for 18 years a prominent politician and business man of Chattanooga.

Will Not Succeed Lord Aberdeen.

LONDON, Aug. 4.—The Standard Tuesday publishes a denial of the story published in a New York paper that it is the intention of the British government to make Sir Charles Tupper the successor of Lord Aberdeen as governor general of Canada.

Free Silver Campaign Opened in Virginia. FREDERICKSBURG, Va., Aug. 4.—The free silver campaign was opened in Virginia Monday at Spotsylvania court house by Hon. Wm. A. Jones, democratic nominee for congress in the First congressional district and late delegate to Chicago.

Bicycle Record Broken.

LONDON, Aug. 4.—At Woodgreen Monday the one mile bicycle record, standing start, was broken by Betts, who covered the distance in one minute, forty-eight seconds.

BUCKEYE NEWS.

New and Interesting Happenings Within Our Borders.

KILLED HIS RIVAL.

A Quarrel at Findlay, O., Ends in Murder—A Large Posse After the Murderer.

FINDLAY, O., Aug. 4.—George Miles, aged 19 years, was shot and killed by Amos Decker, aged 18 years, in this city Monday evening, and as a result a large posse of officers and excited citizens are pursuing the murderer, who escaped to the country on a horse.

The crime was so deliberate that Decker will hardly escape the fullest penalty if captured by the pursuing officers. He stands no chance of getting away, though he may elude the officers for some time.

Decker and Miles quarreled over a calf, and as they were rivals for the hand of a young lady, the feeling between them was very bitter. They finally came to blows and Decker, after going home and securing a revolver, returned and shot Miles in the side, inflicting a wound from which he died in a few hours.

THE SOUTHERN ROAD.

The Bid of Messrs. Andrews and Taylor on Behalf of the C. H. & D. and Southern Companies to Buy It Rejected.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 4.—The people of Cincinnati voted Monday on the proposition of Messrs. Andrews and Taylor, in the interest of the C. H. & D. and Southern Railroad companies, to purchase the Southern railway. The total vote was: Yes, 15,493; no, 15,831. The proposition to sell was lost by a majority of 338. The campaign was brief, but heated.

Patient Given the Wrong Medicine.

LIMA, O., Aug. 4.—Mrs. Charles Loe, wife of a Lake Erie & Western passenger engineer, had a narrow escape from death. She has been ill for several days and at times it has been necessary to administer morphine. Monday night the nurse gave her morphine by mistake for another medicine. She was unconscious for several hours, but the services of four doctors were secured and she is now out of danger.

Chicken With Four Legs.

GLEN ESTE, O., Aug. 4.—Charles Ludlow, a young farmer here, has a freak in the shape of a chicken with four legs. It is now almost fully grown. The two superfluous legs grow out at the point of contact of the fowl's tail and body, while the legs extend horizontally with the body, making their exercise impossible. They are perfectly developed.

Lentz Nominated for Congress.

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 4.—The democratic congressional convention of this district, held at Lancaster Monday, nominated John J. Lentz, of this city, for congress over Charles D. Martin, of Lancaster, by a vote of 114 to 109. The national democratic platform was indorsed and the candidate of the convention pledged to free silver.

Early Morning Fire at Carrollton.

CARROLLTON, O., Aug. 4.—The Helfrich block, located on the public square, was totally destroyed by fire early Tuesday morning. Jacob Helfrich, boot and shoe dealer's loss is \$3,000, with insurance of \$1,000, and John Helfrich, jeweler, \$4,000; insurance, \$1,500. The fire was of incendiary origin.

McKinley's Letter of Acceptance.

CANTON, O., Aug. 4.—Maj. McKinley has had a few days of quiet and he is turning over in his mind the points which he thinks of discussing in his letter of acceptance. He will not, however, aim to have a letter ready for publication for three or four weeks.

Tube and Pipe Works Embarrassed.

STREUBENVILLE, O., Aug. 4.—The brilliant Tube and Pipe works at Brilliant, O., made an assignment Tuesday to John S. McMahers, of that place. The assets and liabilities are unknown. Five hundred hands are thrown out of employment.

Cutting Down Working Hours.

TOLEDO, O., Aug. 4.—The Wheeling & Lake Erie railroad has cut down working hours. Each man will be laid off a day and the remaining five working days he will be permitted to work only eight hours. The road is also reducing its forces.

House Dynamited.

BEREA, O., Aug. 4.—The residence of Charles A. Seibert, a grocer, was partially wrecked by dynamite, but none of the inmates were injured. It is believed that some person to whom Seibert had refused credit is guilty of the deed.

Crippled for Life.

BELLEFONTAINE, O., Aug. 4.—A young boy by the name of Whitmer, while with a number of other boys, endeavoring to board a moving freight train, was thrown under the wheels and one of his arms torn off.

Corpse in the Driftwood.

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 4.—The body of George Plant, 23 years old, was found Monday in a pile of driftwood on the bank of the Scioto river. He is believed to have committed suicide two weeks ago.

Fish by the Bushel.

SPENCERVILLE, O., Aug. 3.—A break in the canal south of here caused the water to be turned off, and the bed is strewn with big fish. They are being taken out by the bushel.

Rolling Mills Resume.

NILES, O., Aug. 4.—All the rolling mills of this place will resume work at once, giving employment to about two thousand men.

Thunderbolt Kills Nine Steers.

CHILLICOTHE, O., Aug. 4.—Lightning killed nine steers belonging to Finlay Jones. All were standing under a tree.



CONDENSED NEWS

Gathered From All Parts of the Country by Telegraph.

The bankers of Chicago finished their gold deposits Monday, having turned over to the government \$3,425,000 in the yellow money.

The Canadian competitors in the Shochburness artillery contest in London have won third prize. They disabled a gun in the repository contest.

Mr. J. J. Mitchell, president of the Illinois Trust and Savings bank, Chicago, says that there is little doubt that a pool will be formed to take care of the Diamond Match stock.

A receiver was Monday appointed for the firm of Baron and Newman, manufacturers of knit goods, New York. The liabilities of the firm are stated to be about \$100,000 and the assets \$120,000.

Charles Whitaker, a well to do farmer and prominent citizen of Hartford county, Maryland, was shot and killed Monday by Wm. F. Dowling. Whitaker had recently purchased Dowling's farm at a forced sale and this angered Dowling.

Members of the Chicago stock exchange advance the opinion that the Diamond match and the New York biscuit will not be materially affected by the failure of the Moore Bros., as both concerns are known to be in first-class condition.

Dr. H. Collander, one of the most distinguished physicians of the south, died in Nashville, Tenn., Monday night, aged 68 years. He was for many years superintendent of the state insane asylum, and figured prominently in the Guitau case.

The estimated gross earnings of the entire system of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad Co., both east and west of the Missouri river for the month of July, 1896, are \$1,280,550.37, an increase of \$103,011.07 over the same month in 1895.

The main building of the extensive phosphate and fertilizer works of the Baugh and Sons Co., Philadelphia, was destroyed by fire early Tuesday morning. Loss \$200,000, partly covered by insurance. A huge vat of grease boiling over into a fire started the flames.

The Chicago and Erie railroad has given orders that communications between its officers and agents, and that its bills of lading, etc., be carried as railroad matter, notwithstanding the orders of the postmaster general. Private communications between individuals are strictly forbidden to be sent "R. R. B."

At New York shortly after 7 o'clock Tuesday morning Frank Lomoe, a blacksmith, 35 years of age, shot his wife, Pirolina, 25 years old, in the right side, back of the head and in the face. She was dangerously injured. Frank then committed suicide by shooting himself in the right side of the head. The woman was removed to St. Vincent's hospital.

After deliberation lasting 35 hours at Clayton, Mo., the jury in the case of John Smith, on trial for the murder of Bertram Atwater, Monday morning returned a verdict of guilty. Atwater lived in Chicago and came to Webster Grove on the night of January 23 to visit his sweetheart. He was decoyed to a lonely road and murdered by Smith for the purpose of robbery.

Carriage Company Fails.

PRINCETON, Ill., Aug. 4.—The Mackechan Carriage Co., employing 80 men, was closed by the sheriff Monday on confessions of judgment amounting to \$8,000. Claims for over \$20,000 are yet to be filed. The assets are estimated at \$25,000. Iron dealers in Chicago, St. Louis and Cleveland are the principal creditors.

Fifteen Hundred Mussulmans Killed.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 4.—Official advices received here state that the Cretan insurgents have attacked the Mussulman families living in the Kenouria district and that 1,500 of the Mussulmans have been killed. The date upon which the massacre occurred is not given.

Wife-Murderer's End.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 4.—Lawrence Cummings, who so cruelly murdered his wife, Elizabeth Cummings, and tried to murder his daughter on the night of June 12, 1896, committed suicide in the county jail at 12:45 Tuesday morning by shooting himself through the head with a revolver which he had managed to conceal in the cell.

Capt. Lothaire's Second Trial.

BRUSSELS, Aug. 4.—The second trial of Capt. Lothaire, the Belgian officer who was tried and acquitted at Bona for having executed the English trader, Stokes, because the latter was alleged to have sold arms and ammunition to the natives, was begun here Monday.

Arrival and Departure of Trains.

B. & O. S. W.
DEPART—6:00 a. m., 10:40 a. m., 1:00 p. m., 4:15 p. m., 7:00 p. m., 11:25 p. m.
ARRIVE—8:05 a. m., 8:10 a. m., 12:25 p. m., 4:15 p. m., 6:40 p. m., 8:55 p. m.

T. & O. C. E.
LEAVE—2:10 p. m., 9:00 a. m., 4:00 a. m.
ARRIVE—4:45, 12:15 p. m., 7:00 a. m.

C. & M.
LEAVE—6:25 a. m., 3:25 p. m.
ARRIVE—11:15 a. m., 7:05 p. m.

Z. & O.
LEAVE—6:20 a. m., 2:40 p. m.
ARRIVE—9:34 a. m., 3:03, 7:33 p. m.

O. R. R. R. (Eastern Time).
SOUTH—9:34 a. m., 3:03, 7:33 p. m.
NORTH—12:32, 3:59 a. m., 7:27 p. m.

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THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 4.
FLOUR—Spring fancy, \$3.10@3.30; spring family, \$2.50@2.55; spring patent, \$3.65@3.90; winter patent, \$3.45@3.75; fancy, \$2.80@3.10; family, \$2.50@2.75; extra, \$2.00@2.30; low grade, \$1.75@2.00; rye, northwestern, \$2.45@2.50; do city, \$2.00.

WHEAT—Sales: Rejected red, track, 53 1/2c; sample red, landing, 45c.

CORN—Sales: Yellow ear, track, 25c; mixed ear, switched, 24c; No. 2 white, track, 27 1/2c; mixed ear, track, 24c.

OATS—Sales: No. 3 mixed, new, track, 19 1/2c; No. 2 white, old, track, 25c; rejected white, new, track, 18c; No. 2 mixed, new, track, 20 1/2c.

HOGS—Select butchers', \$3.45@3.50; fair to good packers', \$3.35@3.45; fair to good light, \$3.45@3.55; common and roughs, \$2.70@3.15.

CATTLE—Fair to good shippers, \$3.65@4.15; good to choice butchers', \$3.55@4.15; fair to medium butchers', \$3.35@3.75; common, \$2.75@3.10.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Extras, \$3.10@3.35; good to choice, \$2.50@3.00; common to fair, \$1.25@2.25. Lambs—Good to choice, \$4.50@5.00; common to fair, \$2.50@4.15.

VEAL CALVES—Fair to good light, \$5.25@6.00; common and large, \$3.25@5.00.

WOOL—Unwashed, fine merino, 92 1/2c per lb; quarter-blood clothing, 12@13c; medium, delaine and clothing, 12@13c; broad, 11@12c; medium combing, 13@14c; washed, fine merino, 8c to 8 1/2c; 12c; medium clothing, 14@15c; delaine fleece, 14@15c; long combing, 13@14c; quarter-blood and low, 12@13c; common coarse, 11@12c.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.
WHEAT—No. 2 red, September, 63 1/2-10 1/2; 63 1/2-10 1/2; October, 64 1/2c.

CORN—No. 2, August, 30 1/2c; September, 30 1/2@31c.

OATS—No. 2, state, 20@20 1/2c; western, 21 1/2@30c; September, 21 1/2c.

TOLEDO, O., Aug. 4.
WHEAT—No. 2 cash and August, 64 1/2c; September, 65 1/2c; December, 67 1/2c; No. 3 red cash, 59 1/2c; September, 60 1/2c.

CORN—No. 2 mixed, cash, 26c.

OATS—No. 2 mixed, cash, 20 1/2c.

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.
Calls on September wheat opened at 58 1/2c; declined to 58 1/4c, last price 58 1/4c. Puts opened at 58 1/4c@58 1/2c, sold at 58 1/4c@58 1/2c, last price 58 1/2c@58 1/4c.

Calls on September corn opened at 25 1/2c@25 3/4c, sold at 25 1/2c@25 3/4c, last price 25 3/4c.

CATTLE—Medium to good shipping steers, \$2.75@4.00; good to choice feeding steers, \$3.50@4.50; fair to medium steers, \$3.10@3.50; fair to medium heifers, \$3.00@3.50; common light heifers, \$2.50@3.00; fair to medium cows, 12@13c; heavy calves, \$2.50@4.00.

HOGS—Good to choice medium and heavy, \$3.35@3.55; mixed and heavy packing, \$3.10@3.20; good to choice light, \$3.35@3.45; common lights, \$3.25@3.35; pigs, \$2.50@3.40; roughs, \$2.25@2.75.

SHEEP—Good to choice lambs, \$4.25@4.75; common to medium lambs, \$3.50@4.00; good to choice sheep, \$3.00@3.25; fair to medium sheep, \$2.40@2.75.

—Dried beef, smoked and otherwise, was sent abroad to the amount of \$21,073 pounds, valued at \$73,569.

The Buckeye.

A sweeping out sale in our Children's Department. Every lady or gent that ever visited our Mammoth Children's Department know what an elegant and fashionable line of Boys' and Children's Clothing there is to be had at the Buckeye. We don't want to carry one light-weight garment over this season; so to enable us to do this we intend to cast profits aside.

Children's Double-breasted Suits, made of Oxford Cassimere your choice in five styles, \$1.49.

Children's Junior Suits, all strictly well made, of all wool fabrics, such as worsteds, cassimere, chevots and vicuna's, at \$2.75; positively worth \$4.00

Boys' Long Pants Suits, aged 10 to 19 years, every suit perfectly made of good all wool chevot, cassimere or worsted, lined with Italian serge or good substantial farmer's satin. Your choice of nine styles at \$5.25; worth \$8.00.

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Having just received an enormous amount of Mens' Pants, which our buyer bought while in New York at less than manufacturer's cost, we divide them in three separate lots, namely:

- Lot 1 Your choice of black or blue chevots, gray cassimere or Oxford Victory's, at \$1.25; match therefor, \$3.00.
- Lot 2. Consists of cassimere, chevots, worsteds, etc., every pair warranted strictly all wool and well tailored, worth \$3.00; as long as they last, yours for \$2.00.
- Lot 3. Made up of the finest weaves of Foreign and Domestic Mills, such as Bristol Worsteds, Riversides, Clays, genuine Harris Cassimere, yours for \$3.75; none worth less than \$5.00.

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